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FOREWORD

In 1977 the United States International Trade Commission initiated its current Summary of Trade and Tariff Information series of informational reports on the thousands of products imported into and exported from the United States. The summaries contain information on product uses, U.S. producers, and customs treatment, and include analyses of the basic factors affecting trends in consumption, production, and trade as well as those bearing on the competitiveness of U.S. industries in domestic and foreign markets.

This supplement is designed to maintain the usefulness of the original summary prepared for this commodity area by providing current consumption and trade statistics and information on significant developments since the initial summary's release. The current statistical tables and tariff schedule extracts contained in the loose-leaf supplement can easily be substituted for the corresponding pages in the original summary.

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SUPPLEMENT TO SUMMARY OF TRADE AND TARIFF INFORMATION ON BROADWOVEN FABRICS OF MANMADE FIBERS (EXCEPT GLASS), TSUS ITEMS 338.10, 338.15, AND 338.30 (PUBLISHED FEBRUARY 1978)

U.S. industry

Less than 10 of the 325 firms weaving broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers in 1976 went out of business between 1977 and 1980, and the number of establishments, about 400, remained the same. Employment is estimated to have declined from 141,000 in 1976 to about 125,000 in 1980.

The total number of operating looms weaving broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, except glass, declined about 10 percent from an estimated 175,000 in 1976 to 160,000 in 1980. In 1976, box or fancy-weave looms accounted for about 70 percent of the operating looms; in 1980, they were only 60 percent of the total. The decrease was caused by the installation of shuttleless looms, which totaled only 7 percent of the operating looms in 1976 but accounted for 17 percent in 1980. Shuttleless looms increase the speed of producing simple fabric patterns to almost twice the speed of a box loom operating on a fancy fabric; they also generally operate on fabrics one-third wider than those on box looms.

The value added by manufacture in the broadwoven manmade fiber industry (including glass, silk, and pile fabrics) rose from $2.6 billion in 1976 to $3.8 billion in 1980. New capital expenditures increased from $163 million in 1976 to an estimated $183 million in 1980, and end-of-year inventories rose from an estimated $840 million in 1976 to about $925 million in 1980. The ratio of weaver's net profit on stockholder's equity, which includes cotton and wool fabrics, was 10.6 percent in 1976, but fell to 8.8 percent in 1980, reflecting the losses of some large firms.

Salaries and wages for this group also rose, from $1.4 billion in 1976 to $1.5 billion in 1980. The value added per production worker rose from $8.78 in 1976 to $13.84 in 1980; likewise, the average hourly earnings increased from $3.83 in 1976 to $5.13 in 1980. Comparing these figures, worker productivity per hour has increased at a faster rate than the hourly wages in the same period.

U.S. customs treatment

The column 1 rates of duty shown in appendix A for items 338.10, 338.15, and 338.30, were reduced as a result of negotiations in the Tokyo round of the Multilateral Trade Negotiations (MTN). 1/ Appendix A provides the staged reductions in the rates of duty as a result of the MTN. Beginning January 1, 1982, TSUS item 338.30 will be split into two new classes, 338.40 and 338.50.

1/ See explanation in appendix A.

The first (338.40) by description covers necktie fabrics, which will be given a smaller rate of reduction between 1982 and 1987 in the MTN compared with other broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers. The legal description for these classes is shown below.

	[Woven. . .:]
	[Other:]
	Other:
338.40	Wholly of continuous manmade fibers, yarn dyed, the thread count of which per inch (treating ply yarns as single threads) is over 175 but not over 360 in the warp and over 79 but not over 180 in the filling.....
338.50	Other.....

Appendix A also provides the staged rates applicable to items 338.40 and 338.50.

U.S. consumption

Apparent U.S. consumption continued to expand from 1976 to 1980. It increased about one-fifth in quantity, from 8.4 billion square yards in 1976 to 9.8 billion square yards in 1980, and over one-half in value, from $5.6 billion to $8.5 billion (table 1, app. B). It showed a decline only in 1979, when consumption amounted to 8.9 billion square yards, valued at $7.4 billion. Imports supplied 3 to 4 percent of the quantity consumed during 1976-80. The expansion was due mainly to the increased use by the U.S. consumer of easy-care and durable-press apparel made from broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers. The larger increase in the value of consumption is related to the rising costs of petrochemicals, the major raw material used in making most of the manmade fiber yarns woven into these fabrics.

U.S. production

Domestic production of broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, except glass, rose from 8.5 billion square yards, valued at $5.7 billion, in 1976 to 10.1 billion square yards, valued at $8.7 billion, in 1980 (app. B, table 1). During 1976-80, production of polyester-cotton mixtures, the largest specific category shown in the table, declined from 2.7 billion linear yards to 2.6 billion, but this decline was offset by increases in the production of (1) filament yarn fabrics, especially 100 percent polyester types, (2) spun yarn fabrics, such as rayon and/or acetate blends and polyester-rayon blends, and (3) combinations and mixtures of filament and spun fabrics (table 2). Most of the increases can be attributed to expanded uses of polyester textured yarn fabrics and rayon and/or acetate fabrics in blends with polyester or cotton for wash-and-wear apparel.

U.S. trade

U.S. imports of broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, except glass, increased to a 1976-80 high of 374 million square yards, valued at $389 million, in 1978, and then declined to 290 million square yards, valued at $388 million, in 1980. During the 5-year period, however, they remained below 5 percent of the annual quantity consumed and under 7 percent of the value (table 1). Japan remained the principal supplier of imports, but its share of the total declined from 80 to 85 percent of the quantity imported in 1976 to between 45 and 60 percent during 1977-80. Other important suppliers such as Italy, which accounted for about one-fourth of the total quantity in 1980, and Korea, which furnished about one-fifth of the quantity in 1980, emerged during this period. Italy increased its exports to the United States from 15.9 million square yards, valued at $23.3 million, in 1976, to 72.0 million square yards, valued at $110.0 million, in 1980, and Korea expanded its exports from 11.7 million square yards, valued at $10.5 million, in 1976, to 47.7 million square yards, valued at $51.7 million, in 1980 (table 3).

The principal export markets for U.S. broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, except glass, changed during 1976-80 compared with those in 1970-76. Canada and the United Kingdom remained important U.S. markets, ranking first and second in value, respectively, in every year during 1976-80. Canada imported $91.4 million in 1976 and the United Kingdom, $31.7 million; both increased their imports in 1980, the former importing $120.8 million and the latter, $67.7 million. However, West Germany and the Republic of South Africa, third and fourth, respectively, in 1970-76, were replaced by Italy and Nigeria, the latter country becoming important only in 1980. Canada, the United Kingdom, Italy, and Nigeria together accounted for almost half (286 million square yards) of the total quantity of U.S. exports and about two-fifths ($272 million) of the value in 1980 (table 4).

Italy was both a large importer and supplier of these fabrics during 1976-80. It imported chiefly polyester-cotton fabrics from the United States, and exported mainly filament fabrics, especially tie fabrics, and rayon fabrics to this country.

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Appendix A

Part 3, Schedule 3 of the Tariff Schedules of the United States Annotated (1981) and Staged Rates of Duty

Explanation of the rates of duty applicable to broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, as shown in this appendix:

The rates of duty in rate of duty column numbered 1 are most-favored-nation (MFN) rates, and are applicable to imported products from all countries except those Communist countries and areas enumerated in general headnote 3(f) of the TSUS. However, such rates would not apply to products of developing countries since they are granted preferential tariff treatment under the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) or under the "LDDC" rate of duty column.

The rates of duty in rate of duty column "LDDC" are preferential rates (reflecting the full U.S. MTN concession rate for a particular item without staging) and are applicable to products of the least developed developing countries designated in general headnote 3(d) of the TSUS which are not granted duty-free treatment under the GSP. If no rate of duty is provided in the "LDDC" column for a particular item, the rate of duty provided in column numbered 1 applies.

The rates of duty in rate duty column numbered 2 apply to imported products from those Communist countries and areas enumerated in general headnote 3(f) of the TSUS.

No duty-free treatment under GSP has been extended to items covered by this Supplement. GSP, implemented by Executive Order No. 11888 of November 24, 1975, applies to merchandise imported on or after Jan. 1, 1976, and is scheduled to remain in effect until Jan. 4, 1985, unless modified by the President or terminated.

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CS P	Item	Stat. Suf-fix	Articles	Units of Quantity	Rates of Duty 1	LDDC	2
			Subpart E. - Woven Fabrics, of Man-Made Fibers				
			Woven fabrics, of man-made fibers:				
			Containing over 17 percent of wool by weight:				
	338.10	00	Valued not over $2 per pound.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.	15c per lb. + 25% ad val.		107% ad val.
	338.15		Valued over $2 per pound.....	.....	15c per lb. + 15% ad val.		80.5% ad val.
			Wholly of spun yarn:				
		15	Of rayon or acetate.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
		20	Of nylon.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
		30	Of polyester.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
		40	Other.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
			Other:				
		50	Of rayon or acetate.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
		60	Of nylon.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
		70	Of polyester.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
		80	Other.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
			Other:				
			Of glass:				
	338.25	00	Not colored.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.	10% ad val.		50% ad val.
	338.27	00	Colored.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.	14% ad val.		60% ad val.
	338.30		Other.....	.....	13c per lb. + 22.5% ad val.		81% ad val.
			Suitable for making typewriter and machine ribbon, containing yarns the average denier of which exceeds 25 but not 75, the total thread count (treating ply yarns as single threads) of which per inch is not less than 150 warp and 100 filling and not more than 210 warp and 140 filling and in which the thread count of the warp does not exceed 60 percent of the total thread count of the warp and filling:				
		01	Slit, with fast edges.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
		02	Other.....(614)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
			Other:				
			Wholly of continuous fibers (including continuous man-made filaments or strips):				
			Warp dvec, the thread count of which per inch (treating ply yarns as single threads) is over 175 but not over 360 in the warp, and over 75 but not over 180 in the filling:				
		03	Of rayon or acetate.....(610)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
		04	Of polyester.....(612)	Sq. yd.v lb.			
		05	Other.....(612)	Sq. yd.v lb.			

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Stat. Group	Item	Stat. Suffix	Articles	Units of Quantity	Rates of Duty 1	LDDC	2
			Woven fabrics, of man-made fibers (con.):				
			Other (con.):				
	338.30 (con.)		Other (con.):				
			Other (con):				
			Wholly of continuous fibers (including continuous man-made filaments or strips)(con.):				
			Other:				
		06	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of rayon.....(610)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		07	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of acetate.....(610)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		08	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of nylon.....(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Containing 85 percent or more by weight of polyester:				
			Not containing textured yarns:				
		09	Weighing not over 5 oz. per sq. yd.....(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		10	Weighing over 5 oz. per sq. yd.....(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Containing textured yarns:				
			Weighing not over 5 oz. per sq. yd.:				
		11	Not bleached and not colored..(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		12	Bleached or piece dyed.....(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		13	Of yarns of different colors...(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		15	Printed..(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Weighing over 5 oz. per sq. yd.:				
		17	Not bleached and not colored..(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		18	Bleached or piece dyed.....(612	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		19	Of yarns of different colors...(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		20	Printed..(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		21	Other.....(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			

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GSP	Item	Stat. Suf-fix	Articles	Units of Quantity	Rates of Duty 1	LDDC	2
			Woven fabrics, of man-made fibers (con.):				
			Other (con.):				
	338.30 (con.)		Other (con.):				
			Other (con.):				
			Combinations and mixtures of filament and spun yarns (including filament core/spun yarns):				
			Of man-made fibers, mixed mainly or solely with cotton:				
		24	Of polyester.....(614)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		25	Other.....(614)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Other:				
		26	Of rayon or acetate...(614)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Of polyester:				
		29	Mixed mainly or solely with rayon(614)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		32	Other.....(614)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		33	Other.....(614)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Wholly of spun yarns:				
			Of man-made fibers, mixed mainly or solely with cotton:				
			Weighing not over 5 oz. per sq. yd.:				
		34	Of rayon or acetate.....(611)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Of polyester:				
			Plainweave:				
		35	Not bleached and not colored(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		36	Bleached or piece eyed...(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		39	Of yarns of different colors.(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		41	Printed .....(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Twill weave:				
		42	Not bleached and not colored(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		43	Other..(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Other:				
		44	Not bleached and not colored(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		45	Other..(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		46	Other.....(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			

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Stat. Suf.	Item	Stat. Suf.	Articles	Units of Quantity	Rates of Duty 1	Rates of Duty LDDC	Rates of Duty 2
			Woven fabrics, of man-made fibers (con.):				
			Other (con.):				
	338.30 (con.)		Other (con.):				
			Other (con.):				
			Wholly of spun yarns (con):				
			Of man-made fibers, mixed mainly or solely with cotton (con.):				
			Weighing over 5 oz. per sq. yd.:				
		47	Of rayon or acetate:				
			Not bleached and not colored.....(611)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		48	Other.....(611)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Of polyester:				
		49	Plain weave:				
			Not bleached and not colored(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		50	Other.(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		53	Twill weave:				
			Not bleached and not colored(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		54	Other.(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		55	Other:				
			Not bleached and not colored(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		59	Other.(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		61	Other.....(613)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		64	Other:				
			Containing 85 percent or more by weight of rayon or acetate.....(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		65	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of polyester.....(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		67	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of acrylic.....(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
		69	Other.....(612)	Sq. yd.v Lb.			
			Subpart F. - Woven Fabrics, of Other Textile Materials				
			Woven fabrics of textile materials, not covered by the foregoing subparts of this part:				
	339.05	00	Containing over 17 percent of wool by weight.(410)	Sq. yd.v Lb	30¢ per lb. + 50% ad val.		43.5% ad val.
A	339.10	00	Other.....	Lb.....	8.5% ad val.		40% ad val.

Note: For explanation of the symbol "A" or "A*" in the column entitled "Stat. Suf.", see general headnote 3(e).

Broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, except glass: Pre-MTN rates and staged rate modifications, by TSUS items, 1982-87

TSUS item No.		Pre-MTN col. 1 rate of duty 1/	Col. 1 rates of duty for articles entered on or after Jan. 1--					
Prior to Jan. 1, 1982	As of Jan. 1, 1982		1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
338.10	338.10	15¢ + 25%	12¢ + 24.8%	10¢ + 24.7%	7¢ + 24.5%	5¢ + 24.3%	2¢ + 24.2%	24%
338.15	338.15	15¢ + 15%	12¢ + 15%	10¢ + 15%	7¢ + 15%	5¢ + 15%	2¢ + 15%	15%
338.30(pt)	338.40	13¢ + 22.5%	13¢ + 22.5%	12.5¢ + 22.5%	12¢ + 22.5%	12¢ + 22.5%	11.5¢ + 22.5%	11¢ + 22.5%
338.30(pt)	338.50	13¢ + 22.5%	10¢ + 21.6%	8¢ + 20.7%	6¢ + 19.7%	4¢ + 18.8%	2¢ + 17.9%	17%

1/ Rate effective prior to Jan. 1, 1982.

Note.--The symbol "¢" indicates cents per pound. The symbol "%" indicates percent ad valorem.

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Appendix B

Statistical Tables

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Table 1.--Broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, except glass: U.S. production, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1976-80

(Quantity in thousands of square yards; value in thousands of dollars)

Year	Production 1/	Imports	Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio (percent) of imports to consumption
	Quantity				
1976	8,489,170	284,922	354,968	8,419,124	3
1977	9,001,454	304,919	332,956	8,973,417	3
1978	9,720,906	374,169	324,581	9,770,494	4
1979	9,090,007	278,522	500,268	8,868,261	3
1980	2/ 10,134,978	289,627	575,771	9,848,834	3
	Value				
1976	5,674,000	240,740	331,619	5,583,121	4
1977	3/ 6,237,900	270,390	314,586	6,193,704	4
1978	6,996,000	389,081	333,521	7,051,560	6
1979	7,518,000	349,361	509,801	7,357,560	5
1980	8,725,000	387,825	633,477	8,479,348	5

1/ Square yards estimated from official statistics reported in linear yards by use of conversion factors shown by U.S. Bureau of the Census in Current Industrial Reports, series MQ-22T (supplement) dated November 1977; value estimated from value of shipments data shown in the U.S. Industrial Outlook, a publication of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

2/ Estimated by the staff of the U.S. International Trade Commission.

3/ Compiled from the 1977 Census of Manufactures.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce, except as noted.

Table 2.--Broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, except glass: U.S. production, by types, 1976-80

(In thousands of linear yards)

Type	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
100 percent filament yarn fabrics	1,655,301	1,714,003	1,970,719	2,062,956	2,165,379
100 percent filament acetate fabrics	272,891	287,506	303,012	312,955	1/
Acetate and other filament combinations	21,280	27,585	27,852	35,388	36,209
100 percent filament rayon fabrics	28,417	19,363	13,102	16,145	21,246
Rayon and other filament combinations	38,867	36,950	13,700	2/	2/
100 percent filament nylon fabrics	328,496	335,459	360,293	405,932	383,927
Nylon and other filament combinations	28,189	21,447	27,587	23,605	17,128
100 percent filament polyester fabrics	517,138	518,328	628,221	577,563	605,561
Polyester and other filament combinations	38,897	2/	2/	59,298	47,471
Other 100 percent filament yarn fabrics including saran and olefin	381,126	2/	2/	2/	2/
100 percent spun yarn fabrics and blends chiefly manmade fibers by weight	3,521,765	3,582,984	3,713,382	3,600,957	3,641,914
Spun rayon and/or acetate fabrics	102,214	118,985	90,054	89,800	76,806
Spun rayon and/or acetate blends	108,371	167,312	240,824	245,047	3/ 238,089
Spun nylon fabrics including blends	10,016	7,502	4,817	6,494	13,037
Spun polyester fabrics	3,246,583	3,219,496	3,275,020	3,172,947	3,235,728
100 percent spun polyester fabrics	161,202	149,127	163,540	168,561	127,324
Chiefly spun polyester blends cotton	2,713,145	2,676,649	2,603,975	2,489,905	2,595,732
Chiefly spun polyester blends with rayon	298,371	307,266	347,487	411,570	415,457
Other chiefly spun polyester blends and 100 percent polyester blanketing	73,865	86,454	160,018	102,911	97,215
100 percent spun fabrics and acrylic blends	35,161	49,039	55,647	51,344	49,937
All other 100 percent spun yarn fabrics and blends	19,420	20,650	47,020	35,325	28,886
Combinations and mixtures of filament and spun fabrics	326,910	359,523	374,515	343,351	440,885

1/ Not available.
2/ Withheld to avoid disclosing figures for individual companies.
3/ Partially estimated.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce, except as noted.

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Table 3.--Broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, except glass: U.S. imports for consumption, by principal sources, 1976-80

Source	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
	Quantity (1,000 square yards)				
Japan	208,168	206,869	214,787	128,917	128,246
Italy	15,904	26,536	61,895	64,745	71,976
Kor Rep	11,703	13,762	21,940	19,246	47,676
France	10,515	12,776	14,177	8,886	8,873
FR Germ	3,966	6,193	6,829	4,459	3,434
Switzld	2,768	4,406	6,671	5,603	4,871
Brazil	682	2,272	1,763	1,961	2,220
U King	8,456	6,353	15,290	7,887	2,360
All other	22,760	25,751	30,818	36,819	19,971
Total	284,922	304,919	374,169	278,527	289,627
	Value (1,000 dollars)				
Japan	164,990	167,890	227,230	173,617	166,294
Italy	23,252	39,448	82,284	92,696	110,066
Kor Rep	10,460	8,877	15,105	18,938	51,705
France	8,026	10,684	12,330	12,129	14,442
FR Germ	7,471	9,406	11,893	10,108	9,840
Switzld	5,044	6,686	9,209	8,046	9,156
Brazil	1,221	2,724	3,054	4,225	5,484
U King	3,952	3,084	5,889	4,443	3,339
All other	16,324	21,591	22,087	25,167	17,498
Total	240,740	270,390	389,081	349,361	387,825
	Unit value (per square yard)				
Japan	$0.79	$0.81	$1.06	$1.35	$1.30
Italy	1.46	1.49	1.33	1.43	1.53
Kor Rep	0.89	0.65	0.69	0.98	1.08
France	0.76	0.84	0.87	1.36	1.63
FR Germ	1.88	1.52	1.74	2.27	2.87
Switzld	1.82	1.52	1.38	1.44	1.88
Brazil	1.79	1.20	1.73	2.15	2.47
U King	0.47	0.49	0.39	0.56	1.42
All other	0.72	0.84	0.72	0.68	0.88
Average	0.84	0.89	1.04	1.25	1.34

1/ Less than 500.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

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Table 4.--Broadwoven fabrics of manmade fibers, except glass: U.S. exports of domestic merchandise, by principal markets, 1976-80

Market	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
	Quantity (1,000 square yards)				
Canada	89,372	88,916	89,060	105,373	120,771
U King	37,271	33,469	32,873	54,635	55,197
Italy	7,444	12,232	4,505	57,633	84,704
Nigeria	1,721	947	1,303	1,074	25,554
FR Germ	10,605	10,296	13,081	12,525	15,980
Rep Saf	12,336	6,555	8,705	10,032	16,324
Argent	81	291	2,588	15,888	16,856
Hg Kong	8,271	6,313	6,051	9,020	10,458
All other	187,867	173,938	166,415	234,085	229,927
Total	354,968	332,956	324,581	500,268	575,771
	Value (1,000 dollars)				
Canada	91,476	94,222	99,774	118,221	120,128
U King	31,676	29,057	34,475	57,019	67,741
Italy	5,695	9,318	3,802	29,960	49,075
Nigeria	1,536	1,205	1,108	1,033	35,269
FR Germ	15,835	13,653	15,438	16,685	25,814
Rep Saf	11,888	6,780	9,186	12,308	21,346
Argent	153	272	2,861	17,132	20,453
Hg Kong	8,382	6,489	6,963	13,068	17,609
All other	164,978	153,589	159,916	244,376	276,043
Total	331,619	314,586	333,521	509,801	633,477
	Unit value (per square yard)				
Canada	$1.02	$1.06	$1.12	$1.12	$0.99
U King	0.85	0.87	1.05	1.04	1.23
Italy	0.77	0.76	0.84	0.52	0.58
Nigeria	0.89	1.27	0.85	0.96	1.38
FR Germ	1.49	1.33	1.18	1.32	1.62
Rep Saf	0.96	1.03	1.06	1.23	1.31
Argent	1.88	0.93	1.11	1.08	1.21
Hg Kong	1.01	1.03	1.15	1.45	1.68
All other	0.88	0.88	0.96	1.04	1.20
Average	0.93	0.94	1.03	1.02	1.10

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